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Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-11(canceled).

12(new). A data transmission method in which a data transmission device transmits data to a communication apparatus having a plurality of external connection units,

wherein the communication apparatus detects that one or plurality of storage mediums storing specific identification data and communication start data are connected to a plurality of the external connection units, where the communication start data are for making the communication apparatus to start a communication processing;

reads out the communication start data from one of the storage mediums and the identification data from all connected storage mediums, when detecting connection of a plurality of storage mediums;

transmits all the identification data to the data transmission device on the basis of the read-out communication start data, and

wherein the data transmission device transmits data, which correspond to all the received identification data, to the communication apparatus.

13(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the data transmission device has a table, in which data to be transmitted corresponding to the identification data is defined; and specifies data corresponding to all the received identification data on the basis of the table.

14(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the data transmission device measures the time for transmitting data; and changes data to be transmitted when the measured time reaches to the predetermined time.

15(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 1, wherein when detecting connection of the storage medium at the external connection unit while receiving data from the data transmission device in the status that there is an un-connected external connection unit; the communication apparatus reads out identification data from the detected storage medium and transmits the read-out identification data to the data transmission device, and wherein the data transmission device transmits menu data to the communication apparatus, where the menu data are for accepting an instruction indicating whether data to be transmitted, corresponding to the received identification data are changed or not.

16(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the storage medium is a toy comprising an operation unit and an operation control unit for operating the operation unit on the basis of operation data, and wherein the data transmission device transmits data having a data structure including the operation data in a scene of contents data relating to a cartoon, an animation, a game or a movie in which a character relating the toy appears.

17(new). A data transmission method in which a data transmission device transmits data to a communication apparatus connected with an intermediate connection device which can connect to a storage medium and has specific identification data, wherein the communication apparatus detects that a storage medium storing specific identification data and communication start data are connected to the

intermediate connection device, where the communication start data are for making the communication apparatus to start a communication processing;

reads out the communication start data from the storage medium and the identification data from the storage medium and the intermediate connection device respectively, when detecting connection of the storage medium; and

transmits all identification data to the data transmission device on the basis of the read-out communication start data, and

wherein the data transmission device transmits data, which correspond to all the received identification data, to the communication apparatus.

18(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the data transmission device has a table, in which data to be transmitted, corresponding to the identification data is defined; and specifies data corresponding to all the received identification data on the basis of the table.

19(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the data transmission device measures the time for transmitting data; and changes data to be transmitted when the measured time reaches to the predetermined time.

20(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 7, wherein the data transmission device measures the time for transmitting data; and changes data to be transmitted when the measured time reaches to the predetermined time.

21(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 6,

wherein the intermediate connection device can be connected with a plurality of storage mediums, wherein when detecting connection of the storage medium to the intermediate connection device while receiving data from the data transmission device in the status that the intermediate connection device can be still connected with the storage medium; the communication apparatus reads out identification data from the detected storage medium and

transmits the read-out identification data to the data transmission device, and

wherein the data transmission device transmits menu data to the communication apparatus where the menu data are for accepting an instruction indicating whether data to be transmitted, corresponding to the received identification data are changed or not.

22(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 7,

wherein the intermediate connection device can be connected with a plurality of storage mediums,

wherein when detecting connection of the storage medium to the intermediate connection device while receiving data from the data transmission device in the status that the intermediate connection device can be still connected with the storage medium; the communication apparatus reads out identification data from the detected storage medium and

transmits the read-out identification data to the data transmission device, and

wherein the data transmission device transmits menu data to the communication apparatus where the menu data are for accepting an instruction indicating whether data to be transmitted, corresponding to the received identification data are changed or not.

23(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 8,

wherein the intermediate connection device can be connected with a plurality of storage mediums,

wherein when detecting connection of the storage medium to the intermediate connection device while receiving data from the data transmission device in the status that the intermediate connection device can be still connected with the storage medium; the communication apparatus reads out identification data from the detected storage medium and

transmits the read-out identification data to the data transmission device, and

wherein the data transmission device transmits menu data to the communication apparatus where the menu data are for accepting an instruction indicating whether data to be transmitted, corresponding to the received identification data are changed or not.

24(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 9,

wherein the intermediate connection device can be connected with a plurality of storage mediums,

wherein when detecting connection of the storage medium to the intermediate connection device while receiving data from the data transmission device in the status that the intermediate connection device can be still connected with the storage medium; the communication apparatus reads out identification data from the detected storage medium and

transmits the read-out identification data to the data transmission device, and

wherein the data transmission device transmits menu data to the communication apparatus where the menu data are for accepting an instruction indicating whether data to be transmitted, corresponding to the received identification data are changed or not.

25(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 6,

wherein the storage medium is a toy comprising an operation unit and an operation control unit for operating the operation unit on the basis of operation data, and

wherein the data transmission device transmits data having a data structure including the operation data in a scene of contents data relating to a cartoon, an animation, a game or a movie in which a character relating the toy appears.

26(new). The data transmission method as claimed in claim 7,
wherein the storage medium is a toy comprising an operation unit and an operation control unit for operating the operation unit on the basis of operation data, and
wherein the data transmission device transmits data having a data structure including the operation data in a scene of contents data relating to a cartoon, an animation, a game or a movie in which a character relating the toy appears.

27(new). A data transmission system in which a data transmission device transmits data corresponding to the received identification data to a communication apparatus,
wherein the system comprises,
a storage medium storing specific identification data and communication start data for making the communication apparatus to start the communication processing; and
an intermediate connection device which can be connected with the storage medium, has specific identification data, and is connected to the communication apparatus, and
wherein the communication apparatus comprises,
a detection means for detecting connection of the storage medium to the intermediate connection device;
a reading-out means for reading out communication start data from the storage medium and identification data from the storage medium and the intermediate connection device respectively, when the detection means detects the connection of the storage medium; and

a transmission means for transmitting all the read-out identification data to the data transmission device on the basis of the communication start data read out by the reading-out means, and

wherein the data transmission device comprises a data transmission means for transmitting data corresponding to all the received identification data.

28(new). The data transmission system as claimed in claim 16,
wherein the data transmission device comprises,
a table, in which data transmitted corresponding to the identification data are defined;
and
a means for specifying data corresponding to all the received identification data on the basis of the table.

29(new). The data transmission system as claimed in claim 16,
wherein the data transmission device comprises,
a means for measuring the time for transmitting data; and
a means for changing data to be transmitted when the measured time reaches to the predetermined time.

30(new). The data transmission system as claimed in claim 16,
wherein the intermediate connection device can be connected with a plurality of storage mediums,
wherein when detecting connection of the storage medium to the intermediate connection device while receiving data from the data transmission device in the status that the intermediate connection device can be still connected with the storage medium;
the communication apparatus comprises,
a means for reading out identification data from the detected storage medium and

a means for transmitting the read-out identification data to the data transmission device,
and

wherein the data transmission device comprises a means for transmitting menu data to the communication apparatus where the menu data are for accepting an instruction indicating whether data to be transmitted, corresponding to the received identification data are changed or not.

31(new). The data transmission system as claimed in claim 16,
wherein the storage medium is a toy comprising an operation unit and an operation control unit for operating the operation unit on the basis of operation data, and
wherein the data transmission device comprises a means for transmitting data having a data structure including the operation data in a scene of contents data relating to a cartoon, an animation, a game or a movie in which a character relating the toy appears.